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In re application of Moon-Kuen Kim

Application No. 10/690,875

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For. MOVABLE SIDE STEP FOR A VEHICLE

Group No.: 3618

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**PETITION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.181(a)
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PETITION

- 1 Applicant petitions that the Notice of Abandonment be withdrawn for failure to pay issue fee since Applicant submitted the issue fee on February 15, 2006 and the Patent Office charged Applicant's Deposit Account for the issue fee and publication fee on February 16, 2006.

SUBMISSIONS

- 2 Submitted herewith is:

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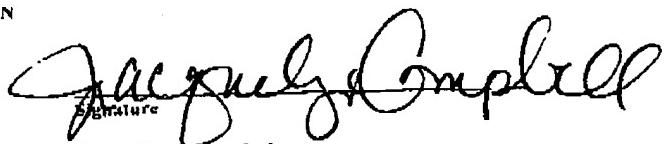
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A copy of the attorney's Deposit Account Statement, in which the item(s) corresponding to the submission of the Issue Fee Transmittal referred to above are charged on February 16, 2006.

PETITION FEE

3. Because no defect exists in applicant's previous submission no fee is required. However, authorization is hereby made to charge any additional fees required by this paper or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No 302191 that may have been overlooked by the Applicant.

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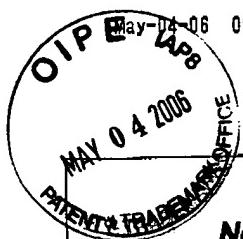
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**Notice of Abandonment**

Application No.	Applicant(s)	
10/690,875	Kim	
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This application is abandoned in view of:

1. Applicant's failure to timely file a proper reply to the Office letter mailed on _____.
(a) A reply was received on _____ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated _____), which is after the expiration of the period for reply (including a total extension of time of _____ month(s)) which expired on _____.
(b) A proposed reply was received on _____, but it does not constitute a proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 (a) to the final rejection.
(A proper reply under 37 CFR 1.113 to a final rejection consists only of (1) a timely filed amendment which places the application in condition for allowance; (2) a timely filed Notice of Appeal (with appeal fee), or (3) a timely filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114).
(c) A reply was received on _____ but it does not constitute a proper reply, or a bona fide attempt at a proper reply, to the non-final rejection. See 37 CFR 1.85(a) and 1.111. (See explanation in box 7 below).
(d) No reply has been received
2. Applicant's failure to timely pay the required issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, within the statutory period of three months from the mailing date of the Notice of Allowance (PTO-85).
(a) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, was received on _____ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated _____), which is after the expiration of the statutory period for payment of the issue fee (and publication fee) set in the Notice of Allowance (PTO-85).
(b) The submitted fee of \$_____ is insufficient. A balance of \$_____ is due.
The issue fee required by 37 CFR 1.18 is \$_____. The publication fee, if required by 37 CFR 1.18(a), is \$_____.
(c) The issue fee and publication fee, if applicable, has not been received.
3. Applicant's failure to timely file corrected drawings as required by, and within the three-month period set in, the Notice of Allowability (PTO-37).
(a) Proposed corrected drawings were received on _____ (with a Certificate of Mailing or Transmission dated _____), which is after the expiration of the period for reply.
(b) No corrected drawings have been received.
4. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by the attorney or agent of record, the assignee of the entire interest, or all of the applicants
5. The letter of express abandonment which is signed by an attorney or agent (acting in a representative capacity under 37 CFR 1.34(a)) upon the filing of a continuing application.
6. The decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interference rendered on _____ and because the period for seeking court review of the decision has expired and there are no allowed claims.
7. The reason(s) below:

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